## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Bavarian, et al. Group Art Unit: 1795

Serial No.: 10/827,187 Examiner: Merkling, Matthew J.

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For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR Confirmation No. 2434

HYDROGEN GENERATION

## RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

## Introductory Comments

This Amendment is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action mailed April 28, 2010, for which a three-month shortened statutory period for response was set. A three-month extension of time is hereby requested to extend the deadline for responding until October 28, 2010. Applicants authorize the Commissioner to charge the extension fee, and any additional fees which may be required to further the prosecution of the captioned application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1620, referencing Attorney Docket No. X-0170. The Listing of the Claims begins on page 2 and the Remarks begin on page 8.